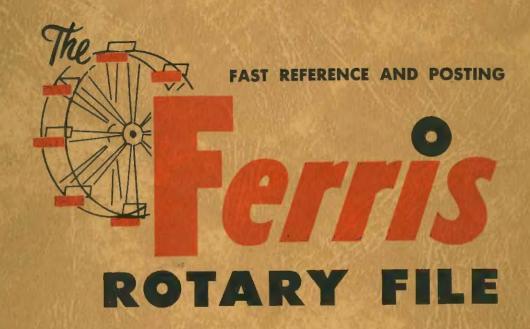
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Ferris Business Equipment, Inc.





FAST REFERENCE AND POSTING

STANDARD AND MASTER MODELS



REGARDLESS OF CARD SIZE OR QUANTITY A COMPACT ANSWER TO YOUR RECORD KEEPING PROBLEMS





FILES CAN BE SET IN VARIOUS BATTERY ARRANGEMENTS FURNISHED FOR BETWEEN DESKS OR COUNTER HEIGHT



EASILY ROLLED ABOUT BALL - BEARING CASTERS



HOUSES VISUAL SLIDES



OVER







TRAYS TO 22" LONG — MOTORIZED UNITS — PUSH BUTTON CONTROL



TRAYS TO 16" LONG MANUAL UNITS



ALL TRAYS ARE EASILY REMOVABLE





# STANDARD

## WORK SIMPLIFICATION



THE FERRIS 580-12 MANUAL

## The Responsibility of Modern Business

- INCREASE CLERICAL PRODUCTION
- SAVE HOURS OF FILING TIME

CONVENIENT BRAKE TO LOCK MANUAL FILE IN POSITION









**ASSORT** 

150 BLE





THE FERRIS MASTER #25



37% OF RECORDS EXPOSED



THE FERRIS MASTER
JUNIOR #35



THE FERRIS MASTER #45



## FACTS AT YOUR FINGERTIPS

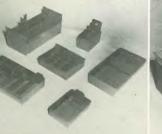


THE FERRIS MASTER #60

## Make Added Efficiency Pay the Cost

- RECORDS COME TO THE CLERK
- FATIGUE AND ERROR
- SAVE PRECIOUS FLOOR SPACE

TRAYS MADE TO MEET CUSTOMER SPECIFICATIONS



"V" VISIBILITY





ALL TRAYS EASILY REMOVABLE AUTOMATIC BRAKE



ONE UNIT HOLDS SEVERAL DIFFERENT RECORD SIZES



LARGE CONVENIENT WORK AREA





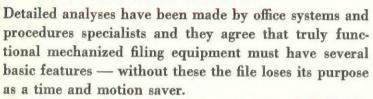
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#### **USED BY LEADING COMPANIES**

The Ferris Rotary File is fast becoming the most suitable system for fast reference and posting. Hundreds of firms throughout the country are now converting their outmoded visual slides, tubs, binders, drawer and ring type files to the Ferris system, eliminating a tremendous amount of lost time and motion. Numerous studies have revealed increases in work output as high as 100%.

## THE CHOICE OF WORK SIMPLIFICATION EXPERTS



- All work delivered to the operator at desk height and the same visual distance.
- All cards within the comfort range, their access requiring primary hand and arm motions. Elimination of mobility of the operator no bending, reaching, pulling.
- A stationary work area directly in front of the operator permitting proper sitting and writing posture, with cards facing the operator, not viewed at an angle.
- Speed of operation enough to allow increase in work output above drawer filing systems. (Studies have revealed that some mechanized equipment actually retards filing time.)
- A sound principle of operation which permits sufficient exposure of the cards.



LUMBERMANS MUTUAL CASUALTY INS. CO., CHICAGO, ILL.



MASSACHUSETTS INDEMNITY INS. CO., BOSTON, MASS.

#### FERRIS LEADERS IN THEIR FIELD

The Ferris organization has the distinction of offering to American business the first mechanized filing unit to carry trays of cards vertically to a comfortably seated operator. Without precedent to follow the Ferris engineers selected the simplest, most direct principle of operation to insure lasting service and efficient posting and reference. Still setting the pace, Ferris now has over 150 different models available — the right file for the particular card size-capacity problem.



BLUE CROSS PLAN, PHOENIX, ARIZONA

## - FACTS -

#### FAST REFERENCE AND POSTING

Cards come to the operator in an average time of 3 seconds.

#### TREMENDOUS CAPACITY

One unit will hold 200,000 21/4 x 3 cards in little more space than consumed by the average desk.

#### ACCOMMODATES ANY RECORD SIZE

All standard and odd sized forms including letter and legal folders.

#### **USE YOUR PRESENT RECORDS**

No retyping or hole punching needed. Merely place your records as they are in the Ferris File — the complete change can be accomplished in minutes.

#### **HUGE SPACE SAVINGS**

Cards contained in 45 feet of visual slides, 13 high for 5 x 8 cards, can be set in less than 6 feet of wall space with 37% of the records exposed. The Master File will also do the job of 10 floor model ring type files. Also saves tremendous space over tub and roller tub files.

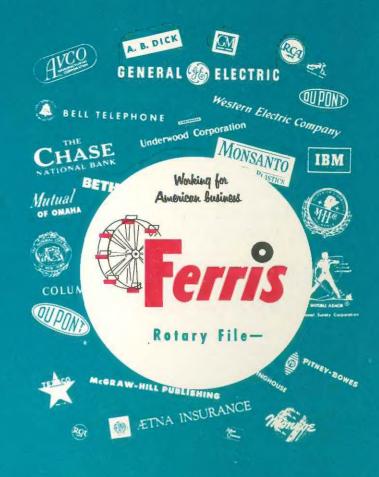
#### NO MAINTENANCE REQUIRED

The Ferris service man is always available — however, no routine maintenance or service is required due to the rugged lifetime construction of all Ferris equipment. Hence freedom from expensive service contracts.

## LESS EMPLOYEE FATIGUE AND ERROR INCREASED EFFICIENCY

Eliminates lost cards and misfiling found in other systems. Permits the hiring or use of older employees. Takes the muscle and eye strain out of filing. Increases the office social status of file clerks and reduces labor turnover.

THE WORLD'S LARGEST
SELECTION OF MOTORIZED
FILING EQUIPMENT



#### PARTIAL LIST OF USERS

		7 - 1
COMPANY	RECORD	CARD SIZE
U. S. Steel Co.	Stores	tab.
General Elec. Co.	Purchase	5 x 8
South Bend Lathe	Parts	$8\frac{1}{2} \times 11$
Westinghouse Elec.	Material	tab.
American Tel. & Tel.	Employee	2½ x 3½
Pratt & Whitney	History	8 x 9½
Pitney-Bowes	Mailing	· 3 x 5
American Brass	Purchase	8 x 10
Avco Mfg. Co.	Engineer	4 x 6
E. I. Du Pont	Sales	5 x 8
Goodyear Aircraft	Tooling	5 x 8
Franklin Life Ins.	Medical	3 x 5
Mutual of Omaha	History	4 x 6
N. Y. Central R. R.	Accts. Rec.	tab.
Anaconda Copper	Personnel	5 x 8
Pacific Tel. & Tel.	Central Info.	3 x 5
Johns Hopkins Hosp.	Ledger	7 x 6
International Silver	Index	. 5 x 8
Willys Overland	Engineer	5 x 8
Monsanto Chemical	Customer	5 x 8
I. B. M. Corp.	Tabulating	IBM
Brigham Young Univ.	Alumni	$3 \times 5$
The Texas Oil Co.	Equipment	5 x 8
Gulf Oil Co.	Credit	3 x 5
The Chase Nat'l Bank	Confidential	5 x 8
New York Savings Bank	Signature	3 x 5



FAST REFERENCE AND POSTING

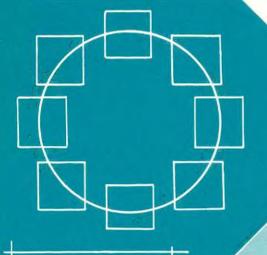
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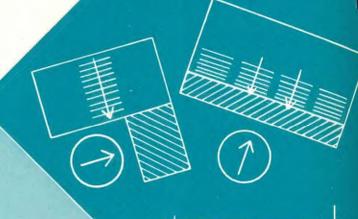
CHECK YOUR RECORD HANDLING PROBLEMS ELIMINATE WASTED TIME, MOTION, ERROR AND FATIGUE

The main reason Ferris masters filing jobs with unparalleled efficiency is the mechanical principle of operation, All moving parts are pivoted on oilless bearings and trays suspended in an upright position by means of a special guide ring.

Ferris Files can be arranged for many different office layouts — grouped in pairs, in "L" or "U" shaped arrangements, between desk, counter height or whatever plan best accommodates the particular situation. Regardless of the capacity, record size, number of operators, frequency of reference, division of the work load, expansion provisions - Ferris has a time and motion saving solution.

Ferris Files reduce the number of filing motions and simplify them utilizing the proper relationship between the operator, her work area and the card facing. Work is centralized and always within the comfort range - cards elevated to an equal visual distance.







The Ferris Rotary File — Here is an office assistant streamlined to take over your burdensome filing problems. An assistant that will turn circles to save precious time and money. Deal with him hastily, push him around still he always obeys turning up with the desired reference material in seconds. Yes, an employee that will never be on the payroll, yet his speed and efficiency will save salaries.







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Western Electric Company

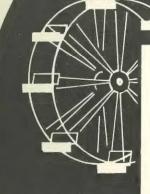
Underwood Corporation



Working for American business







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Rotary File—





PITNEY-BOWES





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#### FERRIS ROTARY FILE

#### **WORKING FOR AMERICAN BUSINESS**

The manufacturers of the Ferris Rotary File offered to American Business the first motorized volume filing unit that carried the card trays vertically to a working position. Prior to the introduction of the Ferris File the only equipment available was the wheel type file in which the cards are retained around the circumference. The capacity of this type file depends on the number of inches the circumference measures; and in order to increase capacity beyond approx. sixty inches it is necessary to employ additional files or rings.

This is the problem that the engineers at the Ferris plant had to solve. In their studies to find the most efficient means of bringing large quantities of records before the operator without the necessity of her moving from a comfortably seated position they analyzed every method possible.

These are some of the factors that had to be considered:

- 1. The relationship of the operator to work area and the card facing.
- 2. Simplicity of construction, durability, elimination of maintenance or service problems.
- 3. Flexibility a file that can be used for all card sizes by merely replacing the trays. Files that can be arranged in batteries.
- 4. Speed of operation.
- 5. Portability.
- 6. Low cost to the consumer.
- 7. The principle of operation whether it should be done by means of a wheel, a conveyor, cranking, etc.

Since the Ferris Company originated the field there was no precedent to follow and it was their choice to select the best method of accomplishing the problem.

SIMPLICITY has been the guiding word. The Ferris Rotary File is the simplest, most direct method of bringing the records to the operator quickly, quietly, at desk height, and with the ideal relationship between the work area and the card facing.





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CLERICAL MILES AHEAD OF ALL OTHER FILING SYSTEMS.



FERRIS STANDARD FILE - 12 inch trays, capacity to 18,000 cards. The above file will do the job of 3 rotary files in which the cards are filed on the circumference of the wheel. A Ferris Standard 350-22 will do the job of 5 circumference filing rotaries in less than  $\frac{1}{4}$  the floor space and with greater efficiency and comfort for the clerk.



Standard Files can be arranged in batteries to place the desired size and quantity of records before one operator.

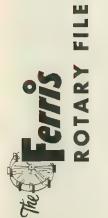
Posting shelf sturdy enough to support a typewriter or business machine. Ferris Standard Files offer unparalleled flexibility for battery arrangements, capacities and card sizes.

Look to Ferris for fast, efficient card filing and finding.









The Ferris Standard Rotary File is manufactured in six cabinet sizes accommodating trays up to 22" deep for any record size, 2 x 3 thru 12 x 14. All Standard files can be motorized and equipped with both foot pedal and push button control. Manual files are available with trays up to 16" deep.

Approximately 25% of the entire capacity is visible to the operator at all times. Files can be revolved in a clockwise or counter-clockwise direction bringing the desired records before the operator in an average time of three seconds.

All files are furnished with ball bearing casters for easy moveability, and sturdy locking covers insuring cleanliness and security. Files can be equipped with collapsible posting table upon request.









#### **Price and Specification List**



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770.00





## STANDARD ROTARY FILE

MODEL		CABINET	CABINET WIDTH		CABINET	FILING	NO. OF	PRICE	PRICE
RD DEPTH	CAPACITY*	HEIGHT	MANUAL	MOTORIZED	LENGTH	INCHES	TRAYS	MANUAL	MOTORIZE
				<del></del>			1	<u></u>	!
	_		3" HIC	GH X 5"	WIDE				
350 8	12,000	311/2"	14"	16"	371/2"	104	13	\$302.00	\$434.00
35Q 12	18,000		18"	22"	′′	156	13	358.00	495.00
350 16	24,000	**	22"	26"	11	208	13	450.00	605.00
18	27,000	7.3	_	28"	**	234	13	<u> </u>	660.00
350 20	30,000	4.1	_	30"	**	260	13		715.00
150   22	33,000	**	_	32"	**	286	13		770,00
			4" HIC	9H X 6"	WIDE				
60 8	10,000	31½"	14"	18"	37½"	88	11	\$302.00	\$434.00
160 12	15,000		18"	22"	11	132	ii	358.00	495.00
160 16	20,000		22"	26"	**	176	11	450,00	605,00
160 18	22,500	4.4	_	28"	11	198	11	_	660,00
60 20	25,000	8.8	_	30"	11	220	11		715.00
60 22	27,500	# #	_	32"	2.8	242	11		770.00
			5" HI	GH X 8"	WIDE				
8 08	7,000	311/2"	14"	18"	371/2"	64	a	\$302.00	\$434.00
80 12	11,000	11	18"	22"	11	96	8	358.00	495.00
80 16	15,000		22"	26"		128	8	450.00	605.00
60 18	17,000			28"	4.8	144	8	450,00	660.00
80 20	19,000		_	30"		160	8		715.00
80 22	21,000	**	_	32"		176	8		770.00
			6" HIG	SH X 9"	WIDE				
90 8	6,500	311/2"	14"	18"	371/2"	56	7	\$302.00	\$434.00
90 12	9,000	11	18"	22"	37 72	84	7	358.00	495,00
90 16	12,000		22"	26"		112	7	450.00	605.00
90 18	13,500		_	28"		126	7	450,00	660.00
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00 18	20,000	"	22"	26"	**	144	9	450.00	605.00
00 20				28"	**	162	9		660.00
00 22	25,000			30"	**	180	9		715.00
	27,500		-	32"	11	198	9		770.00

MC	DDEL		CABINET	CABINE	T WIDTH	CABINET	FILING	NO. OF	PRICE	PRICE
CARD	TRAY DEPTH	CAPACITY*	HEIGHT	MANUAL	MOTORIZED	LENGTH	INCHES	ROWS	MANUAL	MOTORIZED
			8" H	GH X 5	" WIDE	LEDGER	SIZE	_		
850	8	9,000	311/2"	15"	19"	371/2"	80	10	\$377.00	\$509.00
850	12	13,500	4.0	19"	23"	1.0	120	10	433.00	570.00
850	16	17,500	11	23"	27"	1.5	160	10	525.00	680.00
850	18	20,000	- 11	_	29"	8.8	180	10		740,00
850	20	22,000		_	31"	1.5	200	10	_	790.00
850	22	24,500	2.2	_	33"	"	220	10		845.00
								-		
			9" H	IGH X 6	WIDE	LEDGER	SIZE			
960	8	7,000	331/2"	15"	19"	40"	64	8	\$377.00	\$509.00
960	12	11,000	**	19"	23"	2.2	96	8	433.00	570.00
960	16	15,000		23"	27"	12	128	8	525.00	680.00
960	18	17,000	6 8	_	29"	4.8	144	8		740.00
960	20	19,000	11	_	31"		160	8		790,00
	22				33″	1.2	176	В		845.00

<sup>\*</sup>Based on .007 card.

#### PARTIAL LIST OF ODD SIZE RECORD FILES AVAILABLE

CARD	SIZE	NUMBER OF		
HEIGHT	WIDTH	TRAYS		
2"	4"	16		
3"	4"	14		
31/4"	51/4"	12		
3%"	81/2"	8		
3¼"	51/4"	12		
3%"	81/2"	8		
4"	4"	12		
4"	61/2"	10		
5"	6"	10		
5"	9"	7		
51/4"	81/4"	7		
51/4"	9"	7		
51/2"	81/2"	8		
6"	8"	7		
6"	81/2"	7		
6"	9"	7		
6"	10"	6		
67/4**	6"	8		
7"	435"	12		
7"	8"	7		

CARD	SIZE	NUMBER OF
HEIGHT	WIDTH	TRAYS
7"	914"	6
714"	91/4"	6
7%"	41/4**	14
8"	8"	6
8"	81/2**	6
8"	10"	5
81/4"	6"	7
81/4**	9"	6
81/2**	51/2"	7
8 V2"	7"	6
81/2"	14"	4
81/2"	111/2"	4
9"	9"	5
9"	11%"	4
91/2"	7"	6
10"	6"	8
10"	83/411	5
101/2"	10"	4
11"	6"	8
12"	10"	4

#### PRICES FOR ODD SIZE RECORD FILES ON REQUEST.

#### **EXTRAS**

#### **ADDITIONAL TRAYS**

(UP TO 5 x 8)

Tray sixe 8"	Follower Blocks \$4.50	Tabulating Compressors \$6.00	Adjustable sway blocks \$ 6.45
12"	5.50	7.00	8.10
16"	6.50	8.00	9.75
18"	7.00	8.50	10.25
20"	7.50	9.00	11.40
22"	8.00	9.50	11.90
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NOTE: For trays larger than 5 x 8 add 25% to above prices.

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All Ferris Files come equipped with trays and follower blacks. For files equipped with compressors or sway blacks add the price increase above regular trays to the list price. Example — 700-22, 9 trays, \$770.00 follower blacks, \$783.50 compressors, \$805.10 sway blacks.

## Ferris Business Equipment, Inc.

General Office and Factory • 244 Great Meadows Road, Stratford, Connecticut F.O.B. STRATFORD, CONN. Terms: net 30. Quantity Discount upon request



# STANDARD ROTARY FILE

#### DATA SHEET

DESIGNATION:

Ferris Rotary Files, Standard Models----Manual and Motorized Model Numbers: Prefix number indicates Card size

Dash number indicates Depth of tray Letter indicates Motorized

eg. 3 high x 5 wide card, 12 inch tray, motorized unit has designation 350-12M

DESCRIPTION:

Modern mobile floor file cabinet housing a manually or electrically driven wheel, whose axis is perpendicular to the cabinet length. Trays of card records pivoted on the wheel in cradles, rotate vertically in either direction. Cabinets are enclosed on four sides with top surface as entry. From a concealed position within the cabinet a curved cover slides from right and left to center to close three inches above top surface. Cards in top trays are accessable two inches above surface.

CONSTRUCTION:

The cabinet and attachments are made of strong, 18 guage, sheet steel. The wheel revolves on oilless ball bearings. Upright cradle suspension of card trays is maintained by swiveling each tray by means of a connecting guide ring. Trays cannot tip. Each tray is equipped with a follower block and compression follower blocks and sway blocks are furnished upon

request.

Cabinets are furnished in one of three standard colors, gray, clive green or medium brown wrinkle finish. Units are mounted on four ball bearing casters. Posting table attachment, measuring 22" x 16½" may be ordered upon request. Motorized units are outfitted with a 1/12 or 1/6 horse power, 115 volt, single phase, 60 cycle, 3 wire lead, enclosed ball bearing motor. They are also equipped with a clutch devise to disengage motor for manual operation in case of power failure. The specially geared motor is connected to the wheel by a direct 8 to 1 chain drive. Motor is engaged by push button control for clockwise and counter clockwise turning. Foot pedal switch can be furnished upon request. Units come in both desk height,  $31\frac{1}{2}$ ", and counter height, 40". Spot weld fabricating used throughout excepting side, front and back panels which are bolted together.

OPERATION:

Files are operated by sitting perpendicular to the length of the cabinet. With posting table or desk, clerk can locate reference material with her left hand, post and return with her right. Sitting position is in proper relationship to reference material enhancing posture comfort and natural use of the hands. A complete revolution of the wheel for a motorized unit takes 9 seconds. For the manual unit, it is controlled by the dexterity of the operator.

SAFETY:

An even distribution of cards, on the manual unit, allowing a smooth even turning of the wheel, is an assurance of safety.

CAPACITIES:

The number of cards a file will contain is determined by essentially two factors; 1) Card size, 2) Depth of card tray. The height and width of the card determine the number of trays that can be suspended around the wheel. Filing inches are computed by multiplying depth of the tray by the number of trays. To determine approximate capacity use 100 cards per inch as a base and multiply this by number of filing inches. To determine how many trays for a particular record size can be placed around the wheel measure the diagonal of the card and add one inch to this dimension. Locate dimension within ranges below. Note: if figure falls close to either limit of the range it is best to check with the Ferris Sales Office.

6	5/16= 6	13/16"	13	trays	9	9/16"- 10	5/8"	8	trays
6	13/16"- 7	3/8 "		11		5/8 = 12			11
7	3/8 = 8	3/16"	11	18		1/16"- 13			11
8	3/16#- 8	7/8 #	10	H	13	7/8 =- 16	1/4 "	5	69
8	7/8 = 9	9/16"	9	11	16	7/8 = 16 1/4 = 19	1/2 "	4	Ħ

placing double rows in each tray. In this case measure overall diagonal of two cards and add one and a half inches to this dimension. 12 x 14  $2 \times 3$ to Range from DETAILS: Card size 22 4 Number of trays or rows 181 70 Filing inches Depth of trays 16 for manuals 22 8 99 for motorized h Number of trays visible (Letter file,  $8\frac{1}{2} \times 11$ , only one tray visible) Cards rest in trays filed perpendicular Card housing to the line of rotation. Cards are unattached, always in an upright Card retention position, and supported in trays by follower blocks. Placed along top edge of cards. Indexing Desk height - 312", counter height - 40", DIMENSIONS: Height Posting Table - 292" 37를 Width Motorized Manual Depth 18 inches Il inches With 8 inch trays-22. 18 12 1 11 11 26 22 16 # 19 19 28 18 # Ħ 30 20 # 32 22 11 Motorized Manual Shipping Net Shipping Net WEIGHTS: 200 lbs. 8" tray 130 lbs. 230 160 72# 260 16" 190 280 18" 305 2011 340 22# Deduct 15 lbs per unit for crating- to get approximate actual weight. 3 sq. ft. to 7 sq. ft. Range from FLOOR SPACE: No maintenance required. Oilless ball bearings used throughout. MAINTENANCE: No stress or strain, or moving parts. Motor entirely enclosed. Files are mounted on ball bearing caster and can be easily rolled to PORTABILITY: the point of use. On cabinets 16" deep or more the motorized wheel is recommended. Trays MISCELLANEOUS: are fabricated to accomodate any size card within the given range. Units can be equipped with special trays to accomodate "split loads", in some

For records six inches in width and smaller also check possibility of

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or more sizes by equipping trays with dividers.

cases one cabinet, for example, can be outfitted to house cards of two



## MASTER ROTARY FILE

PICTURE BELOW ILLUSTRATES THREE FERRIS MASTER #60 FILES AT THE EASTERN DIVISION OFFICE OF THE MUTUAL BENEFIT HEALTH AND ACCIDENT ASSOCIATION OF OMAHA. EACH FILE ACCOMODATES 576 FILING INCHES FOR INSURANCE RENEWAL AND HISTORY RECORDS - 4" HIGH X 6" WIDE CARDS.





OMAHA:

M. J. JOYCE PERSONNEL MANAGER



EASTERN DIVISION OFFICE SUITE 1126-37 - 1180 RAYMOND BLVD. NEWARK 2, N. J. R. F. SHEEHAN, GEN. MGR. R. J. SHEEHAN, ASSOC. MGR. PHONE MITCHELL 3-9110



K. EARLE SUPERINTENDENT OF CLAIMS

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February 25, 1954.

Stevenson Rossiter, Inc., 312 Mt. Pleasant Avenue. Newark 4, New Jersey.

Attention: J. E. Rossiter.

Dear Sir:

We have recently purchased and received our third Ferris Master file. You will be pleased to know that these files have not only greatly increased the amount of postings our clerks make in a day, but have eliminated a difficult personnel problem.

We had previously recognized that the stooping, drawer pulling and reaching necessary in ordinary upright type of filing cabinets was very fatiguing and necessitated a great deal of relief for the file clerks. We were constantly shifting and changing personnel for this job, with the result that many errors were being made which we could not pin down to any source.

Since the installation of the Ferris Master files, we have eliminated these problems and are getting more work done with less personnel than ever before.

Very truly yours,

EASTERN DEVISION OFFICE

J. Sheehan.

Associate Manager.

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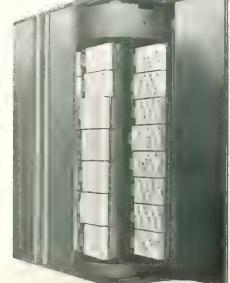


THE FERRIS MASTER #45



UP TO 37% OF ENTIRE CAPACITY EXPOSED







# The Ferris

The Ferris Master Rotary File . . . faster filing, finding and posting. Available in four cabinet sizes — Master #25, #35, #45, #60.

# MASTER #25



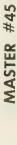
Records come to the comfortably seated operator at desk height, eliminating stooping, bending, reaching, pulling and walking. A touch of the switch control brings thousands of records to her finger-tips, delivering the

desired tray in an average time of 3 seconds.

In a matter of minutes you can place your present active records, as they are, in the Ferris Master File and tremendously increase the efficiency of your posting and reference functions.

The picture below illustrates the ideal relationship between the operator, her work area and the card facing.

There is a minimum of 33% of the entire file capacity before her at all times.













137,500

1495.00

	CARD SIZE	SECTIONS AROUND WHEEL	TRAYS OR ROWS PER SECTION	TRAY INCHES	NUMBER OF TRAYS OR ROWS	TOTAL FILING	APPROXIMATE CAPACITY	PRICE
1	3 x 5	9	5	8	45	360	39,600	\$1050.00
	4 x 6	8	4	8	32	256	28,100	1050.00
MASTER		8	3	8	24	192	21,100	1050.00
	5 x 8	8	3	8	24	192		
#25	Tabulating Horizontal	9	7	71/2	49	367	26,800	1050.00
	Tobulating Vertical*	9 9	10	8	90	720	51,000	1050,00
	21/4 x 3 MIB*	-			,		79,200	1050.00
	3 x 5	9	6	8	54	432	47,500	1295.00
MACTED	4 × 6	8	5	8	40	320	35,200	1295.00
MASTER	5 x 8	8	4	8	32	256	28,100	1295.00
#35	Tabulating Horizontal	8	4	8	32	256	35,800	1295.00
77 00	Tabulating Vertical*	7	9	7 V2	63	472	66,000	1295.00
	2¼ x 3 MIB*	9	13	8	117	936	103,000	1295.00
i	3 x 5	9	8	8	72	576	63,360	1550.00
	4 × 6	8	7	8	56	448	49,280	1550.00
MASTER	5 x 8	8	5	8	40	320	35,200	1550.00
#45	Tobulating Horizontal	8	5	8	40	320	45,000	1550.00
##40	Tabulating Vertical*	7	12	71/2	84	630	88,000	1550.00
	21/4 x 3 MIB*	9	17	8	153	1224	134,600	1550.00
	3 x 5	9	11	8	99	792	87,100	1750.00
	4 × 6	8	9	8	72	576	63,360	1750.00
MASTER	5 x 8	8	7	8	56	448	49,280	1750.00
	Tabulating Horizontal	8	8	8	64	512	64,000	1750.00
#60	Tabulating Vertical*	7	16	71/2	112	840	117,000	1750.00
	214 x 3 MIB*	9	25	8	225	1800	200,000	1750.00
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	CARD SIZE	SECTIONS AROUND WHEEL	TRAYS OR ROWS PER SECTION	TRAY INCHES	NUMBER OF TRAYS OR ROWS	TOTAL FILING INCHES	APPROXIMATE CAPACITY	PRICE
MASTER	3 x 5	5	5	10	25	250	27,500	\$ 695.00
	4 × 6	5	4	10	20	200	22,000	695.00
JUNIOR	5 x 8	5	3	10	15	150	16,500	695.00
#25	Tabulating Horizontal	5	3	10	15	150	21,000	695.00
# 23	2¼ x 3 MIB*	5	10	10	50	500	55,000	695.00
MASTER	3 x 5	5	6	10	30	300	33,000	950.00
	4 x 6	5	5	10	25	250	27,500	950.00
JUNIOR	5 × 8	5	4	10	20	200	22,000	950.00
#35	Tabulating Horizontal	5	4	10	20	200	28,000	950.00
#30	21/4 x 3 MIB*	5	13	10	65	650	71,500	950.00
MASTER	3 x 5	5	8	10	40	400	44.000	1175.00
	4 × 6	5	7	10	35	350	38,500	1175.00
JUNIOR	5 x 8	5	5	10	25	250	27.500	1175.00
#45	Tabulating Harizontal	5	5	10	25	250	35,000	1175.00
#40	214 x 3 MIB*	5	17	10	85	850	93,500	1175,00
MASTER	3 x 5	5	11	10	55	550	60,500	1495.00
	4 × 6	5	9	10	45	450	49,500	1495.00
JUNIOR	5 x 8	5	7	10	35	350	38,500	1495.00
	Tabulating Horizontal	5	8	10	40	400	44,000	1495.00
#60	21/4 × 3 MIB*	5	25	10	125	1250	137.500	1495.00

<sup>\*</sup> Multiple Rows Per Tray

21/4 x 3 MIB\*

All Prices Include Trays With Follower Blocks

DIMENSIONS		MAS	TER		JUN	IOR		DELIVERY: 5 to 8 Weeks		
	25	35	45	60	25	35	45	60	TERMS: Net 30, F.O.B. Stratford	
Overall Width	371/2	44	54 -	70	34	401/2	511/2	651/2		
Overall Depth	351/2	351/2	351/2	351/2	311/2	311/2	311/2	311/2	Quantity Discounts Upon Request	
Overall Height	381/2	381/2	381/2	381/2	381/2	381/2	381/2	381/2	Standard ColorGray Wrinkle Finish	
Table Height	291/2	291/2	291/2	291/2	291/2	291/2	291/2	291/2	Upon RequestMedium Brown, Olive Green	
Weight	375	450	525	650	325	380	430	520	Short reduces	

The Ferris Master and Master Junior Files can be manufactured to specifications. Card size to 9" high.

The above units are equipped with push button switch, and foot pedal control. (Forward and reverse positions). All Ferris "Master Files" are equipped with 1/3 or 1/6 HP, 115 volts, single phase, 60 cycle, 3 wire lead, enclosed ball bearing motors. They are also equipped with clutch device, so that units can be operated manually in case of power failure.

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## MASTER ROTARY FILE

DATA SHEET

Designation:

Ferris Rotary Files, Master Models, Numbers 25, 35, 45 & 60.

Description:

Modern mobile floor file cabinets housing an electrically driven wheel, whose axis is parallel to the length of the cabinet, on which is pivoted tiers of trays containing card records. The wheel rotates vertically in either direction. Cabinets are enclosed on four sides with front section of top surface and upper section of facing side hinging back and down respectively to form posting table and entry. Three complete tiers of trays are always visible, approximately 1/3 total capacity.

Construction:

The cabinet and attachments are made of strong 18 guage, sheet steel, the wheel revolves on oilless bearings. Upright cradle suspension of tiers is maintained by swiveling each tier by means of a connecting guide ring. Trays cannot tip. Each tray is equipped with a follower block and compression follower blocks or sway blocks are furnished upon request. All trays are a uniform depth of 8 inches. Cabinets are finished in one of three standard colors, gray, olive green or medium brown wrinkle finish. Units are mounted on four ball bearing casters. Posting table is recessed with heavy guage Armstrong rubberized linoleum, the cover is provided with a lock for security. Master files are equipped with 1/3 HP, 1/6 HP, 115 volt, single phase, 60 cycle 3 wire lead, enclosed ball bearing motors. They are also equipped with a clutch device to disengage motor for manual operation in case of power failure. The high torque specially geared motor is connected to the wheel by a direct 8 to 1 chain drive. Motor is engaged by push button control or dual foot pedal for clockwise and counter clockwise turning. Spot weld fabrication is used throughout excepting sides, front and rear panels which are bolted together.

Operation:

Files are operated by sitting parallel to the length of the cabinet. Posting table is eleven inches deep and made to this dimension for convenience and quick accessibility. There is no need to stretch. The average girl's reach is 20 inches, beyond that there is a strain. With posting table of 11 inches and tray of 8 inches all cards are within normal reaching distance. Foot pedal control permits freedom of hands for posting, etc. A complete revolution of the wheel takes 9 seconds, A half revolution or less will bring any card before the operator, in an average time of three seconds.

Safety:

A safety guard extends completely across the file flush with the posting table. The slightest touch on this safety guard will immediately shut the motor off and it will remain off until two relay switches are reset, thus giving complete assurance of safety.

Capacities:

The number of cards a Master File will hold is determined by three factors. 1. Card size. 2. Length of tray sections. 3. Guage or thickness of cards.

Card	l He	eigh	ե			Length				Card Guage
511	to	3511		9	sections	Master	25		26±H	Measure cards
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31/2 m 51/2 m 81/4 m	to	874	1700.00	7	11	99	45	_	] <sup>1</sup> ] <sup>1</sup> m	determine quantity
8±11	to	911	distance in	6	-37	19	60		5811	per inch.

	trays per section 2. Determine num 3. Multiply 1. 4. Multiply tot depth. This will	width into leng n. mber of section and 2. to deter al number of tr l give total fi	th of section to determine number of as around wheel for card height.  mine total number of trays.  ays by 8" which is the uniform tray ling inches.  number of cards per inch for card				
Details:	Card size Number of trays Filing inches Depth of trays	2 x 3 and IBM range from 100	to 112 (7 3/9 x 3 1/4 set vertically)				
	Number of trays Card housing Card retention Indexing	cards rest in cards are unat and supported	to 37% of total capacity in trays filed parallel to line of rotation unattached, always in an upright position, ted in trays by follower blocks. ing top edge of card				
Dimensions:	Height, Width Depth	cabinet posting table Model 25 Model 35 Model 45 Model 60	38½n 29½n 37½n 43n 51µn 71n 35½r				
Approx Shipping Weight:	-		375 lbs				
purbhave werenos	Trays crated sep	parately	60 lbs				
	Model 35 Tray crated sepa	rately	460 lbs 80 lbs				
	Model 45 Trays crated sep	parately	550 lbs 100 lbs				
	Model 60 Trays crated sep	parately	646 1bs 130 1bs				
	Deduct 50 lbs. per unit for crating to get approximate net weight.  Deduct 10 lbs. per crated tray to get approximate weight.						
Floor Space:	Master 25 9 1/4 sq. ft.	Master 35 10 1/2 sq. ft.	Master 45 Master 60 17 1/2 sq. ft.				
Maintenance:	No maintenance r stress or strain	required, oilles or moving part	s ball bearing used throughout, no s. Motor entirely enclosed.				
Conversions:	If the record si trays. For repl	ze is changed i	reral record sizes at the same time.  t is merely a matter of replacing the erger record the record height is de-  cons around the wheel. See Capacities.				

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Master Files can be arranged in batteries with one operator having control of as many as a million MIB cards. Master Files and Standard Files can effectively be used together placing the desired records for easy accessibility to one operator.











## PITIS ROTARY FILE

#### PRINCIPLE OF OPERATION

1. The main reason why Ferris Rotary Files can master filing jobs with unparalleled ease and efficiency is the mechanical principle of operation. All Ferris Files utilize the ferris wheel design of suspending card trays in a cradle-like fashion. Trays are always kept in an upright position by means of a special eccentric guide ring. The revolution is smooth and uninterrupted. There is no stress or strain on any moving part. No other filing equipment can compare with the Ferris principle for directness and simplicity to achieve high speed volumn filing.

#### FAST REFERENCE

2. All Ferris Files turn in both a clockwise and counter clockwise direction; consequently, it is never necessary to move the wheel more than one half the revolution to locate any card. The average time required to bring the desired record before the operator is 3 seconds. No other filing device will deliver so many cards per second.

#### LARGER CAPACITIES

3. Only Ferris offers complete flexibility in capacity for the smallest to the largest filing problem. Extension of the card trays, increasing the number of filing inches is easily accomplished with the ferris wheel principle. An increase of one inch in cabinet width allows many additional filing inches. Ferris Files are manufactured to house any card size, and whether your requirements call for 5,000 or a half million, Ferris will provide the fewest number of units to contain your records. For example, over a half million 2½ X 3, MTB cards, used by most life insurance companies, can be housed in three Master # 60 files. Our 11 X 8½ letter file, 22 inch tray, motorized unit, can hold over 12,000. All these records can be brought before one comfortably seated operator in a matter of seconds. Look to Ferris for the most adequate solution to the particular card size-capacity filing problem.

#### ACCOMODATES ANY RECORD SIZE

4. The number of trays suspended around the wheel is determined by the size of the record to be filed. There is a physical relationship between the depth and width of the trays and the number of trays it is possible to place around the wheel and keep the file at a comfortable working height. For a 3 high by 5 wide card 13 trays are suspended around the wheel, where 8 high by 11 wide is limited to 5 trays. To date, over 150 different models have been manufactured; hence there is considerable engineering know-how in reserve for the particular card size problem.

#### USE YOUR PRESENT RECORDS

5. There is no need to retype or alter your present records in order to streamline your filing system. Ferris Files are made to meet all customer requirements. There is no wear or tear on the cards or index tabs, since no mechanical means of support are neededno hooks, slots, hole punched cards, or belts are necessary. Merely place your records, as they are, in a Ferris File; the complete change will be accomplished in minutes.

#### NO INSTRUCTION NECESSARY

6. Any office employee, in a few minutes, efficiently operates a Ferris File. No special training is required.

#### SPACE SAVINGS

7. The 350-8, manual Ferris Standard file houses 13,000 3 X 5 cards and occupies only three square feet of floor space. Compare this with a tub file or visual slides. Actual case histories reveal how Ferris Files are saving precious floor space in many busy offices. Conservation of floor space is attributed to the compactness of the file and the additional utility of a portable desk height unit. Records can be easily rolled to the point of use.

#### EFFORTLESS TURNING

8. If the file holds an even distribution of cards, the eight inch manual unit is turned with very little effort-less than a quarter pound push as measured by weight scale resistance. Balance is the essence of effortless turning whether it be an eight or sixteen inch unit. Most applications of the Ferris File permit a balanced condition. If the file is used to capacity balance follows automatically; if the file is only partially filled, then it is important that the contents be distributed evenly, so that the operator exerts a minimum effort. Where a file is in constant use, cards in and out of file, additions and delitions being made, trays being removed etc., it is still relatively simple to maintain a fair balance; however, experience suggests that a standard file larger than 16 inch tray depth should be motorized to eliminate all unnecessary effort. A hand brake is provided on the standard manual files to securely lock the wheel at any desired position—this allows easy removal of the trays. All motorized units are equipped with an automatic, instant stopping, solenoid brake. The motorized files will operate with equal ease and efficiency whether one or all the trays are removed.

#### TIME AND MOTION SAVINGS

9. A salient fact in the field of Time and Motion study is the reduction of work output due to physical fatigue. Ferris Files literally carry the reference material to the file clerk, deliver them at desk height while she is comfortably seated in a posture chair. There is no stooping, bending, reaching, lifting or pulling of heavy draws. Ferris reduces the number of motions and simplifies them. Cards are always at the operator's fingertips—no need for body movements. Ferris excells for work comfort as the operator is entirely relieved of moving over a large area. Her work is centralized and always within the comfort range. Eye strain is minimized, each card is elevated to an equal visual distance from the operator. No more eye searching near and far.

#### LARGE WORK AREA

10. Standard models can be equipped with a specially designed posting table attachment that provides a large work area for making entries. The posting table is placed in proper relationship to the reference material enabling full vision and encouraging the natural use of both hands. When not in use the posting table hinges compactly out of the way.

#### BATTERY ARRANGEMENTS

11. Ferris Files can be arranged for many different office layouts. They can be arranged in pairs, in "L" or "U" shaped arrangements, semi-circle or whatever layout best accomodates the particular office. Given the requirements -quantity and size of filing material, frequency of reference, existing office procedure etc. - the Ferris Sales engineer can present several alternate layouts to allow for specific contingencies, such as increase in volume and activity, frequent division of the work load, multiple reference, etc.

#### COMPACT COVER AND STURDY LOCK

12. The Standard models are equipped with a self-containing slide cover. The cover slides down within the cabinet walls out of sight and is easily returned to the locking position. The Master files are designed with a hinged posting table which also serves as a cover. All units are furnished with sturdy locks for record security.

#### NO MAINTENANCE REQUIRED

13. Every moving part on a Ferris File is pivoted on an oilless bearing. With no stress or strain and wearing of parts (thanks to the ferris wheel principle) there is virtually no maintenance required. The interior walls on the motorized units are coated with an asbestos composition that cushions sound and also serves as fire protection. Motors are specially geared, high torque and entirely enclosed. They are equipped with oilless ball bearings and a special clutch device so that the units can be operated manually in case of a power failure. A Foot pedal or push button switch engages the motor. Use of the foot pedal has the additional advantage of keeping both hands free for filing at all times.

#### DURABLE CONSTRUCTION

14. Cabinets are constructed of stout, 18 guage, sheet steel enhancing long wear and lasting service. The standard finish is gray wrinkle, or upon request, olive green and medium brown.

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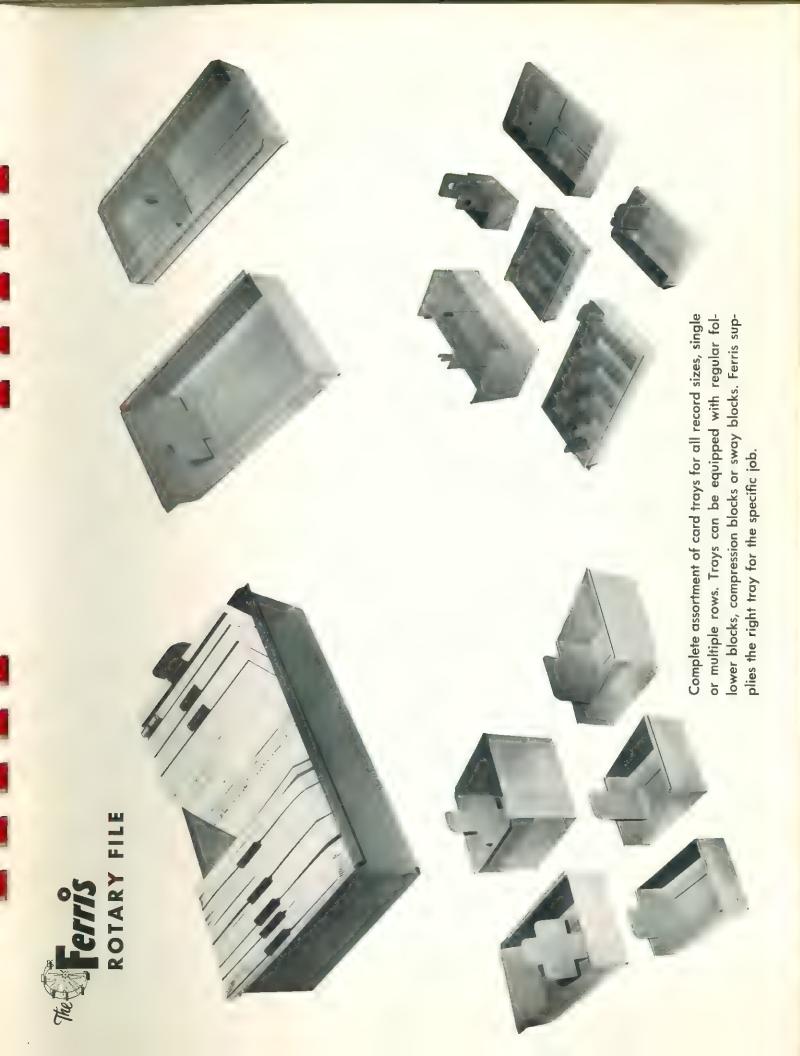
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The FERRIS MASTER 25 containing 5" high x 8" wide cards — capacity 192 filing inches — 37% of entire capacity always in view.







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# PARTIAL LIST OF APPLICATIONS

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Use	Name CHEMICAL COMPANIES	Address	Card Size
Pattern Cards	E. I. du Pont	New York, N.Y.	5 x 8
Reference Names	American Cyanamid Co.	New York, N.Y.	3 x 5
Material	National Lead Co.	Sayerville, N.J.	5 x 8
Record Cards	Columbia-South.Chem.Corp.	Lake Charles, La.	5 x 8
Info Cards	Monsanto Chemical Co.	St. Louis, Mo.	5 x 8
	GOVERNMENT & TOWN RECO	RDS	
Chathal Nort coco	County Clerks	Duncan, Okla.	5 x 8
Chattel Mortgage Contract Rec.	Navy Purchasing Office	New York, N.Y.	5 x 8
Employee Rec.	State Labor Dept.	Bridgeport, Conn.	5 x 8
Employee Rec.	Miami Fire Dept.	Miami, Fla.	3 x 5
Employee Rec.	U.S. A.E. Comm.	Washington, D.C.	3 × 5
Employee Rec.	U.S. Coast Guard	Miami, Fla.	5 x 8
Membership Cards	Fairchild Air Base	Washington	5 x 8
Overtime File	Bureau of Police	Portland, Ore.	5 x 8
Property Records	City of Pittsfield	Mass.	6 x 9
Property Records	Radiolog.Div.Army Chem.	Maryland	4 x 6
Purchasing Rec.	Public Service Corp.	Newark, N.J.	5 x 8
Employee Rec.	County of Milwaukee	Milwaukee, Wis.	3 × 5
Vehicle Control	European Command Ex. Sys.	New York, N.Y.	5 x 8
Stock Control	Chem. Corps, Army Chem.	Maryland	5 x 8
Servicing	7th Coast Guard Dist.	Miami, Fla.	5 x 8
Collections	City of Tiffin	Tiffin, Ohio	5 x 8
Meter Repair	City of West Allis	Milwaukee, Wis.	5 x 8
Feaching Records	Sup. of Schools	Riverside, Calif.	5 x 8
Welfare Order Control	Public Welfare Dept.	Pittsfield, Mass.	5 x 8
Overtime Reports	Bureau of Police	Portland, Ore.	5 x 8
Mortgage Index File	County Clerk	Altus, Okla.	5 x 8
Personnel	U.S. Atomic Energy Comm.	Washington, D.C.	3 x 5
Personnel Records	Miami Fire Dept.	Miami, Fla.	5 x 8
County Employees Rec.	County of Milwaukee	Milwaukee, Wis.	3 x 5
Personnel	U.S. Coast Guard	Miami, Fla.	5 x 8
Inventory Record	Army Chemical Center	Maryland	5 x 8
Contracts Record	Navy Purchasing Office	New York, N.Y.	5 x 8
M/R Property Rec.	Army Chemical Center	Maryland	5 x 8
Vehicle Control Cds.	European Command Ex.Sys.	New York, N.Y.	5 x 8
Housing	City of Cleveland	Cleveland, Ohio	5 <b>x</b> 8
	HOSPITALS & MEDICAL		
Clinical Med. Rec.	Drs. Burroughs & Robert	Grandville, Mich.	5 x 8
House Patient Rec.	Dr. F. A. Davis	Shawnee, Okla.	4 x 6
Obsetrical & Gyn.	Dr. Fred B. Gray	Grand Rapids, Mich.	5 x 8
Medical Records	Medical Center	Seguin, Texas	4 x 6
Medical Records	Dr. E. D. Matthews	Livermore, Calif.	5 x 8
History Patient Cds.	Dr. H. J. Van Duine	Grand Rapids, Mich.	5 x 8
Medical	Dr. F. M. Burroughs	Grandville, Mich.	5 x 8
Membership Record	Jamaica Medical Group	Jamaica, N.Y.	4 x 6
Ledger Cards	Johns Hopkins Hospital	Baltimore, Md.	7 x 6
Charge Account	Community Medical Group	Boonton, N.J.	4 x 6
Diagnostic Records	Hunterdon Medical Center	Flemington, N.J.	4 x 6
Medical Care	Dr. R. P. Watterson	McPherson, Kans.	5 x 8
Subscribers	Montefiore Hosp., Med. Grp.	Bronx, N.Y.	4 x 6
Medical Care	Dr. Howard K. Edwards	Miami, Fla.	5 x 8
Patients Records	Dr. L. D. Combs	Shawnee, Okla.	4 x 6
Membership Records	Pierce Medical Bureau	Tacoma, Wash.	5 x 8
Case Histories	Topeka State Hospital	Topeka, Kans.	5 x 8
Purchase Records		Hartford, Conn.	5 x 8
Subscriber Cards	Conn.State Dept. of Health	narciora, com.	4 x 6



INSURANCE	COMPANIES
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Fire Ins. Rating Org. Mutual of Omaha	Newark, N.J.	3 x 5
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Mutual of Omaha		J A /
	Newark, N.J.	4 x 6
Pan American Casualty	Houston, Tex.	3 x 5
Franklin Life Ins.	Springfield, Ill.	3 x 5
Postal Life Ins. Co.	New York, N.Y.	5 x 8
The Home Insurance Co.	Havana, Cuba	5 x 8
Mass. Ind. Ins. Co.	Boston, Mass.	3 x 5
National Surety Corp.	New York, N.Y.	5 x 8
Fire Ins. Rating Org.	Newark, N.J.	3 x 5
United Insurance Co.	Chicago, Ill.	3 x 5
Standard Life Ins. Co.	Indianapolis, Ind.	5 x 8
Utica Fire Ins. Co.	Utica, N.Y.	3 x 5
Lumberman's Mutual	Chicago, Ill.	TAB
Emp. Life Ins. Co., Ohio	Birmingham, Ala.	5 x 8
Brotherhood Mut. Life Ins.	Ft. Wayne, Ind.	3 x 5
National Surety Corp.	New York, N.Y.	5 x 8
Continental Ins. Co.	New York, N.Y.	5 x 8
The Employers' Group	Boston, Mass.	5 x 8
Worcester Mut. Fire Ins.	Worcester, Mass.	5 x 8
	Franklin Life Ins.  Postal Life Ins. Co. The Home Insurance Co. Mass. Ind. Ins. Co. National Surety Corp. Fire Ins. Rating Org. United Insurance Co. Standard Life Ins. Co. Utica Fire Ins. Co. Lumberman's Mutual Emp. Life Ins. Co., Ohio Brotherhood Mut. Life Ins. National Surety Corp. Continental Ins. Co. The Employers' Group	Franklin Life Ins.  Postal Life Ins. Co. The Home Insurance Co. Mass. Ind. Ins. Co. National Surety Corp. Fire Ins. Rating Org. United Insurance Co. Standard Life Ins. Co. Lumberman's Mutual Emp. Life Ins. Co., Ohio Brotherhood Mut. Life Ins. National Surety Corp. New York, N.Y. Continental Ins. Co. New York, N.Y. Boston, Mass.

# MANUFACTURERS

Purchase Records Purchase Records Property Records React'n Visitors Sales Records Sales Records Tabulating Cards Tabulating Cards Tabulating Cards Tabulating Cards Tabulating Cards Tabulating Contract Warehouse Stock Cost Records Cost Records Customer Info Customer Info Engineering Rec. Master Tooling Cds. Personnel Records Accounts Payable Blueprint Records Export Sales Posting Invoices Stores Disbursement Index File Perpetual Paper Inv. Inventory Master Tool Records Warehouse Stock Cerds	Scoville Mfg. Co. American Brass Cluett, Peabody & Co. Elkhorn Mining Co. Sims Pump Valve Co. Copy-Craft Inc. Pratt & Whitney I.B.M. Corp. Casco Products Pitney-Bowes Moorman Mfg. Co. Burlington Mills Monroe Calculating Bard Parker Diamond Match Co. Monsanto Chemical Avco Mfg. Corp. Kaman Aircraft American Cyanamid Co. Westinghouse Elec. Corp. General Electric Co. E. I. du Pont The Kendall Co. U.S. Steel International Silver Co. The Central Ohio Paper Co. AiResearch Mfg. Co. Goodyear Aircraft Corp.
Stores Disbursement Index File	U.S. Steel International Silver Co.
Inventory	AiResearch Mfg. Co. Goodyear Aircraft Corp. Roller Bearing Co. of Am. Crosley Div., Avco Mfg. Willys Overland Anaconda Copper Mining Co. General Electric Co. The Superior Electric Co. Westinghouse Elec. Corp.
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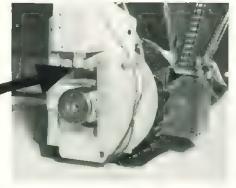
	OIL COMPANIES		
Use	Name	Address	Card Size
Equipment Records Credit Cd. Code Reg. Check Index Record Furnace Oil Del. Cds. Ownership Address Cds.	The Texas Co. Gulf Oil Corp. Mid-Continent Pet. Corp. Sun Oil Co. The Atlantic Refining Co.	Houston, Tex. New York, N.Y. Waterloo, Iowa Atlantic City, N.J. Dallas, Texas	5 x 8 3 x 6 5 x 8 4 x 8
	PUBLIC UTILITIES & SERV	ICES	
Sales Record Transform & Meter Accts. Receivable Alph., Road Card I. D. Cards Membership Cards Membership Cards I. D. Cards Order Record Central Info Ledger Cards Meter History Cds. Membership Cards	Public Serv. Elec. & Gas Red River Valley Elec. Consumers Water Co. Artesian Water Co. Rural Elec. Coop. Ozark Border Elec. Choctaw Elec. Coop. Amer. Tel. & Tel. Co. N.Y. Telephone Co. Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. N.Y. Central R.R. Mountain States Power Co. E. Cent. Okla. Elec. Coop	Newark, N.J. Marietta, Okla. Coral Gables, Fla. Newport, Del. Lindsay, Okla. Poplar Bluffs, Mo. Hugo, Okla. New York, N.Y. New York, N.Y. San Francisco, Cal. New York, N.Y. Casper, Wyo. Okmulgee, Okla.	8835656585886 *****************************
Customer History File	Citizens Gas & Coke Ut.	Indianapolis, Ind.	4 x 6
	SCHOOLS		
Alumni Membership Cds. Inventory of Equip. Permanent Master File	Brigham Young Univ. Florida A & M College Ohio State Unv. Dev. Fund	Provo, Utah Tallahassee, Fla. Columbus, Ohio	3 x 5 5 x 8 4 x 6
	UNIONS		
Membership File Miners Union Rec. Surgical Ins. Cds.	Local 877, UAW-CIO Butte Miners Union Federation of Glass	Bridgeport, Conn. Butte, Mont. Toledo, Ohio	4 x 6 4 x 6 4 x 6
	MISCELLANEOUS		
Accts. Receivable Inventory Customer Sales Sales Records Statistics Daily Sales Tickets General Traffic Titles & Artist Files Perpetual Inv. Stock Parts Ident. Cards Mail Subscriptions Property Records Registration Interment Cards Parish Records	N.V. Central R.R. Jones & Auerbacher, Inc. Goldman, Sachs, & Co. Flexiclogs Elkhorn Mining Co. Telling Ice Cream Co. Ralston Purina Co. Radio Station KTAR Lake Central Airlines, Inc. Pacific Car & Foundry Co. Muncie Newspapers Cluett, Peabody & Co. Curtis Memorial Library Calvary Cemetery St. Stephen of Hungary Ch.	New York, N.Y. Newark, N.J. St. Louis, Mo. New Holstein, Wis. Boulder, Mont. Cleveland, Ohio St. Louis, Mo. Phoenix, Ariz. Indianapolis, Ind. Renton, Wash. Muncie, Ind. Troy, N.Y. Meriden, Conn. Evanston, Ill. New York, N.Y.	TAB





# OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS - MOTORIZED UNITS



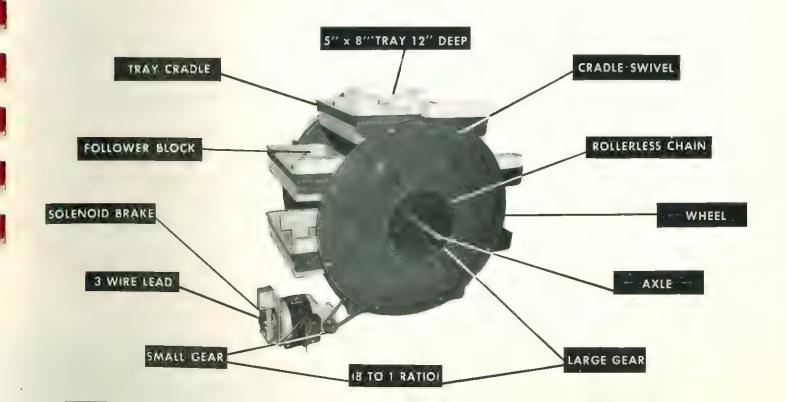


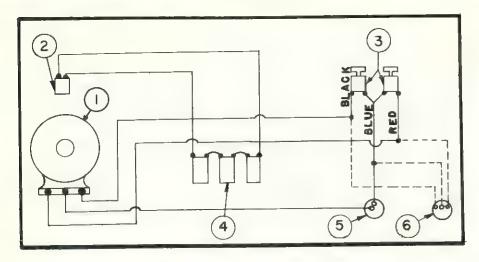


Disengaging motor for manual operation . . . Put slight pressure to the right on clutch handle. Lift trigger device which hinges upward locking clutch handle in position and disengaging motor. All motors are equipped with a set of three capacitors, as pictured, to provide additional starting torque. Male plugs are inserted and turned to the right to locking position. Do not attempt to remove plugs without first turning to the left.

Manually releasing solenoid brake... Arrow points to swiveled plunger, which is pushed down automatically when push buttons are released bringing brake shoe against motor shaft. When starting buttons are pushed the plunger lifts releasing brake. Dampness or dust may cause brake shoe to stick and stall motor. Push plunger up and down manually to free brake. In damp climate it is advisable to clean motor shaft occasionally of rust or dust particles.

Removing slack in chain... After continued operation chain may become slack preventing wheel to start and stop smoothly. I. Amply loosen four bolts on motor mounting. 2 Slide motor outward. 3. Secure forward bolts making rear of mount rise approximately 1/8 inch off caster plate, 4. Tighten rear bolts toeing in rear of mount to make chain taut. New models are equipped with adjustment bolt which turns right to pull motor forward after loosening mounting bolts.





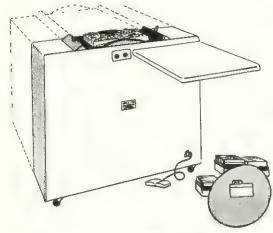
# STANDARD MODEL

WIRING DIAGRAM 16" INCL. 22" MODELS

- 1 1/4 H.P. 110 VOLT A.C. MOTOR
- 2 SOLENOID BRAKE
- 3 PUSHBUTTON SWITCH
- 4 CAPACITOR 243 MFD 110 VOLT A.C.
- 5 RECEPTACLE
- 6 DOTTED INCL. FOOT SWITCH

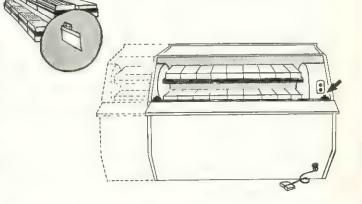
WIRING DIAGRAM 8" INCL. 12" MODELS

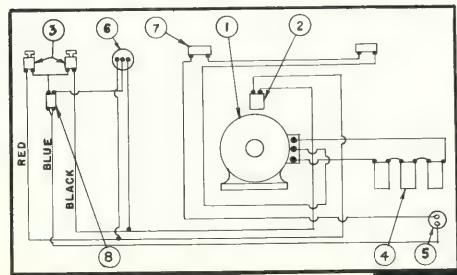
- 1 1/12 H.P. 110 VOLT A.C. MOTOR
- 4 CAPACITOR 95 MFD 110 VOLT A.C.



Files are shipped from the factory set for electric operation. It is advisable to disengage motor, set for manual operation and carefully examine file. Make sure all trays and follower blocks are in place. If any damage to wheel or accessories has occurred in shipment, it will be detected before motor is engaged causing further injury. For access to motor lift hinged panel at lower right side or rear of cabinet. Motor operates on ALTERNATE CURRENT only, is totally enclosed, high torque, oilless ball bearing, reversible, instant starting either direction, and equipped with automatic solenoid brake.

Dotted lines indicate increase in cabinet size, while inserts show relationship of card facing to line of revolution. ARROW points to micro switch. A safety bar extends along entire inside edge of posting table on master file. Slightest pressure disengages motor until both right and left micro switches are reset. CAUTION... Off balance condition tends to overload motor. Maintain an equal distribution of weight whenever possible. All electrical parts are of heavy duty construction and have been factory tested to assure long, dependable service.





# MASTER MODEL

- #60 1 1/3 H.P. 110 VOLT A.C. MOTOR
  - 2 SOLENOID BRAKE
  - 3 PUSHBUTTON SWITCH
  - 4 CAPACITOR 324'MFD 110 VOLT A.C.
  - 5 RECEPTACLE
  - 6 FOOT SWITCH PLUG
  - 7 MICRO SWITCH
  - 8 ON-OFF SWITCH
- #45 1 1/6 H.P. 110 VOLT A.C. MOTOR
  - 2 CAPACITOR 243 MFD 110 VOLT

# ROTARY FILING CABINETS

244 GREAT MEADOWS ROAD . STRATFORD, CONN.

PHONE BRIDGEPORT 5-7670

# PRE-PROPOSAL QUESTIONNAIRE

Comp	any Name Date
Addr	any Name Date  ess Department
	Interviewed
Name	of Record Dept. Head
1.	Number of cards to be filed
2.	Size of card Height Width
3.	Guage of thickness (measure actual cards per inch)
4.	Indexing Number of Thickness Height
5.	Necessary working space in card tray, in inches Check one Compression block Follower block
6.	Check one Compression block Follower block
7.	Average number of removals per day to remain out of file
8.	Average number of additions per day to remain in file
9.	Average number of references per day Average number of postings per day, if any
10.	Average number of postings per day, if any
11.	Type of posting Machine Hand
12.	Number of people referring to file
13.	Number of people posting to file  Number of cards allocated to one operator
14.	Number of cards allocated to one operator
15.	Standing Sitting
16.	Floor space restrictions
17.	Battery arrangements Position of typewriter or business machine
18.	Position of typewriter or business machine
19.	Occasional distribution of work load Frequent distribution of the work load Periodic reports to be taken from cards how often
20.	Prequent distribution of the work load
21,	Periodic reports to be taken from cards how often
23.	Need for frequent cross indexing Retention of several card sizes in one file
	Deck on table to a several card sizes in one file
24.	Desk or table top area requirements
200	How are records presently kept_
26.	Expansion requirements per month per year
27.	Permanence of present recents per month per year
28.	Permanency of present records possible change in card size
	Attach sample of card indicate if all or part of information
	is currently used, having in mind simplifications or revision of form
29.	
30.	Is the card standardized or peculiar to the office in question  Has there been labor turnover on operation in question
	and one of tanover on oberation in descrou
	ALSO PROVIDE:
1.	Sketch and dimensions of amount office lawret
2.	Sketch and dimensions of present office layout.  Name and make of other volume filing equipment now in use.
3.	Names of other filing equipment manufacturers offering proposals
	at this time.
4.	Does the company have its own office systems men.
5.	AND any other information partiaent to actiefying those making

the decision.

COMPARATIVE A

# BASED ON 8 WIDE x 5 HIGH CARD

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	COMPANY			FERRIS		REMINGTON	
	PRODUCT		MASTER #60	STANDARD 22" M	STANDARD 8"	CONVE FILER	ELEVATO
1	. Capacity in Filing in	nches	448	176	64	420	152
2	. Cap. @ 100 cards p	oer in.	<del>44</del> ,800	17,600	6,400	42,000	15,200
3	. Cost per unit		1950.00 INCL WA	798.00 INCL WA	330.00 INCL. WA	2250.00 INCL WA	841.75 LESS WA
4	. File cost per card		.0435	.0453	.0515	.0536	.0554
5	. Floor space	-WA	18.17	8.33	3.64	18 *1	6. *2
	IN SQ. FEET	+wa	22.33	10.85	6.15	18	10.
6	. Cards per sq. ft.	-WA	2465	2112	1756	2333	2533
		+wa	2006	1622	1040	2333	1520
7.	. Cost per card per	-WA	.084	.0936	.1084	.096	.091
	sq. ft, (1 sq. ft. @ \$100.)	+wa	.0933	.1069	.1476	.096	.121
	E Height		38.5"	31.5"	31.5"	4215/32"	45.5"
8.	Height Width Depth		69.5"	37.5"	37.5"	83%6"	22.25"
	E Depth		35.5"	32"	14"	31"	38.75"
9.	Speed, 1 turn		9 Sec.	9 Sec.	Manual	35 Sec.	12 Sec.
10.	Visibility % of Cape	acity	37%	25%	25%	16.5%	25%
11.	Work area, sq. in.		743" ATTACHED	363" ATTACHED	363" ATTACHED	1308" *3 ATTACHED	576" 24" × 24" TAE
12.	Principle of operation	on					
13.	Card retention		8" Trays	22" Trays	8" Trays	21" Trays	19" Tray
14.	Removability of tray	rs	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
15.	Portability		Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
16.	FILE USED FOR ANY CARD Conversions	SIZE	Yes	No	No	No	No
17.	Odd size cards		Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
18.	No. of trays		56	8	8	20	8
19.	Noise		None	None	None	Dual Chain & Gearing	Dual Chair
20.	H. P., Motor		1/3 H.P.	1/6 H.P.	Manual	1/6 H.P.	& Gearing
21.	Weight		650 Lbs.	325	120	1655	375 Lbs.
	No. of Unit FOR 1,000,000 CARDS		23	57	156	24	66
23.	Relationship of operato work area and ca facing	ator rd	<b>===</b>	<b>■</b>	$\Theta$	<b>D</b>	

KEY:

WA — Work Area

Clerk Facing



# NALYSIS OF FILING EQUIPMENT

# ALL FACTS ARE OBJECTIVELY PRESENTED — BASED ON DIRECT STUDY AND CATALOG INFORMATION

DIEBOLD		WHEEL-DEX		MOSLER SAFE	HERRING-HALL MARVIN SAFE CO.	WATSON	WASSEL	REMINGTON
DR	CARDINEER	SIMPLAFIND	WHEELDEX	REV-O-FILE	HHM ROTARY	ROL-DEX	ROTOR-FILE	ROBOT- CARDEX
	50	370	50	55	491/2	400	480	40.2
	5,000	37,000	5,000	5,500	4,950	40,000	48,000	4,020
	324.00 LESS WA	2640.00 INCL WA	450.00	300.00 LESS WA	550.00 LESS WA	1375.00 INCL. WA	1200.00 INCL WA	1890.00 INCL WA
	.0648	.0713	.09	.0545	.171	.0344	.025	.47
	3.5	10.62	3.94	3	2.85	20.	38.2	9.65
	7	12.29	6.72	7	6.85	25.41	38.2	9.65
	1428	3484	1270	1833	1737	2000	1257	416
	714	2831	744	786	722	1574	1257	416
	.135	.10	.1687	.109	.168	.0844	.105	.71
	.205	.1066	.227	.182	.249	.0980	.105	.71
	37"	49"	37.5"	30.5"	35"	303/8"	30"	671/32"
	14"	42.5"	16"	36"	32.25"	96"	110"	25 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>8</sub> "
	36"	36"	35.5"	12"	12.75"	293/4"	50"	531/4"
	Manual	9 Sec.	Manual	Manual	9 Sec.	Manual	Manual	8 Sec.
	15%	20%	15%	15%	15%	30%	5%	1.66%
BLE	576" 24" x 24" TABLE	240" *4 ATTACHED	528" ATTACHED	None *5	None *6	780" 26" x 30" TABLE	1200 —	400" *7
	**		禁	禁	<b>**</b>			
s	Hole Punched Cards 7 Removable	9¼" Trays	Hole Punched Cards	Center Guide Strap	Side Metal Clamps	25" Trays	12" Trays	24" Trays
	Segments	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No
	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes	No
	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No
	None	40	None	None	None	. 16	48	60
)	Flapping	Dual Chain & Gearing	Flapping	Flapping	Flapping	None	None	None
	Manual	1/3 H.P.	Manual	Manual	1/6 H.P.	Manual	Manual	1/3 H.P.
	177	800 Lbs.	350 Lbs.	130 Lbs.	240 Lbs.	Approx. 1000	Approx. 1200	Approx. 1200
	200	27	200	177	202	Larger Units	Larger Units	249
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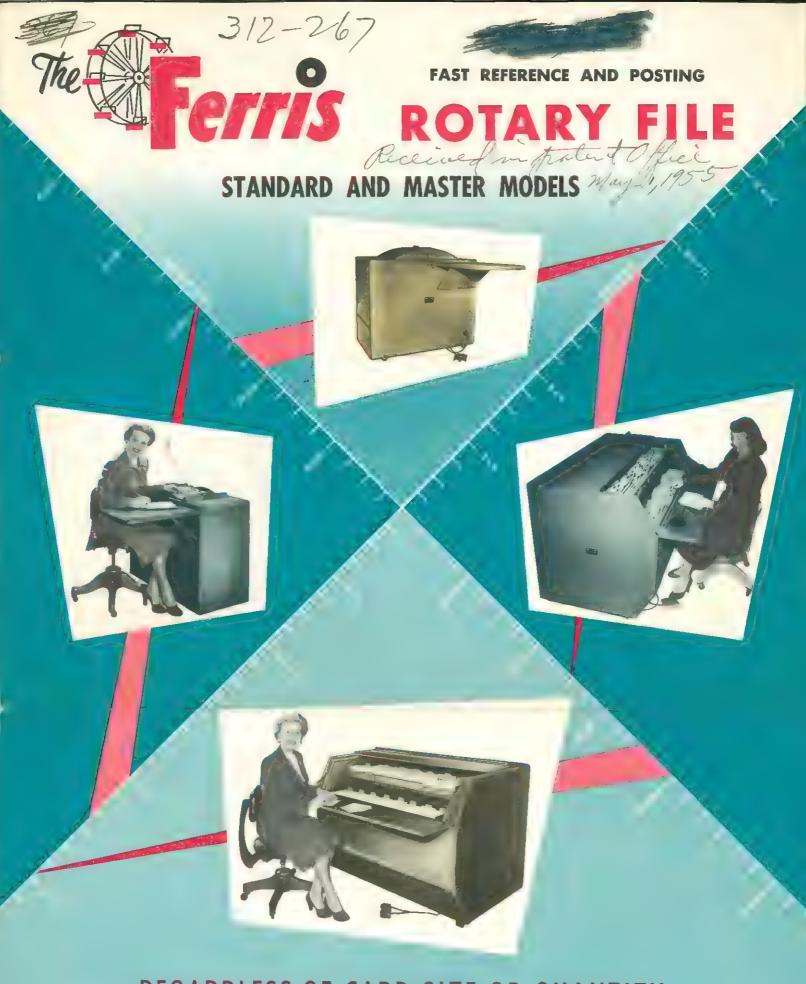
FOOTNOTES:

- \*1 Not including platform
- \*2 Not including Swing of Cover
- \*3 Sliding Work Area

- \*4 Not including Swing of Cover
- \*5 Work Area based on 576 sq. inches
- \*6 Work Area based on 576 sq. inches
- \*7 No Stable Work Area

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REGARDLESS OF CARD SIZE OR QUANTITY
A COMPACT ANSWER TO YOUR RECORD KEEPING PROBLEMS





FILES CAN BE SET IN VARIOUS BATTERY ARRANGEMENTS FURNISHED FOR BETWEEN DESKS OR COUNTER HEIGHT



EASILY ROLLED ABOUT BALL - BEARING CASTERS



THE "RIGHT" FILE FOR THE PARTICULAR PROBLEM HOUSES VISUAL SLIDES

**OVER 150** 

MODELS

AVAILABLE



37% OF RECORDS EXPOSED THE FERRIS MASTER #25





THE FERRIS MASTER #45



HOUSES MAGNE-DEX TRAYS



TRAYS TO 22" LONG — MOTORIZED UNITS — PUSH BUTTON CONTROL



TRAYS TO 16" LONG MANUAL UNITS



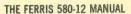
ALL TRAYS ARE EASILY



# **WORK SIMPLIFICATION**







# The Responsibility of Modern Business

- INCREASE CLERICAL PRODUCTION
- ELIMINATE COSTLY MOTIONS
- SAVE HOURS OF FILING TIME

CONVENIENT BRAKE TO LOCK MANUAL FILE IN POSITION

TRAYS EQUIPPED WITH FOLLOWER BLOCKS, COMPRESSION BLOCKS OR SWAY BLOCKS





COMPLETE **ASSORTMENT** CARD TRAYS



# FACTS AT YOUR FINGERTIPS



THE FERRIS MASTER #60

# Make Added Efficiency Pay the Cost

- RECORDS COME TO THE CLERK
- REDUCE FATIGUE AND ERROR
- SAVE PRECIOUS FLOOR SPACE

TRAYS MADE TO MEET CUSTOMER SPECIFICATIONS



"V" VISIBILITY







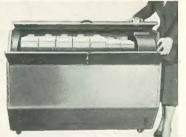
ALL TRAYS EASILY REMOVABLE AUTOMATIC BRAKE



ONE UNIT HOLDS SEVERAL DIFFERENT RECORD SIZES



LARGE CONVENIENT



# **USED BY LEADING COMPANIES**

The Ferris Rotary File is fast becoming the most suitable system for fast reference and posting. Hundreds of firms throughout the country are now converting their outmoded visual slides, tubs, binders, drawer and ring type files to the Ferris system, eliminating a tremendous amount of lost time and motion. Numerous studies have revealed increases in work output as high as 100%.

# THE CHOICE OF WORK SIMPLIFICATION EXPERTS

Detailed analyses have been made by office systems and procedures specialists and they agree that truly functional mechanized filing equipment must have several basic features — without these the file loses its purpose as a time and motion saver.

- All work delivered to the operator at desk height and the same visual distance.
- All cards within the comfort range, their access requiring primary hand and arm motions. Elimination of mobility of the operator no bending, reaching, pulling.
- A stationary work area directly in front of the operator permitting proper sitting and writing posture, with cards facing the operator, not viewed at an angle.
- Speed of operation enough to allow increase in work output above drawer filing systems. (Studies have revealed that some mechanized equipment actually retards filing time.)
- A sound principle of operation which permits sufficient exposure of the cards.



LUMBERMANS MUTUAL CASUALTY INS. CO., CHICAGO, ILL.



MASSACHUSETTS INDEMNITY INS. CO., BOSTON, MASS.

# FERRIS LEADERS IN THEIR FIELD

The Ferris organization has the distinction of offering to American business the first mechanized filing unit to carry trays of cards vertically to a comfortably seated operator. Without precedent to follow the Ferris engineers selected the simplest, most direct principle of operation to insure lasting service and efficient posting and reference. Still setting the pace, Ferris now has over 150 different models available — the right file for the particular card size-capacity problem.



BLUE CROSS PLAN, PHOENIX, ARIZONA

# - FACTS -

# **FAST REFERENCE AND POSTING**

Cards come to the operator in an average time of 3 seconds.

# TREMENDOUS CAPACITY

One unit will hold 200,000  $2\frac{1}{4} \times 3$  cards in little more space than consumed by the average desk.

# ACCOMMODATES ANY RECORD SIZE

All standard and odd sized forms including letter and legal folders.

# **USE YOUR PRESENT RECORDS**

No retyping or hole punching needed. Merely place your records as they are in the Ferris File — the complete change can be accomplished in minutes.

# **HUGE SPACE SAVINGS**

Cards contained in 45 feet of visual slides, 13 high for 5 x 8 cards, can be set in less than 6 feet of wall space with 37% of the records exposed. The Master File will also do the job of 10 floor model ring type files. Also saves tremendous space over tub and roller tub files.

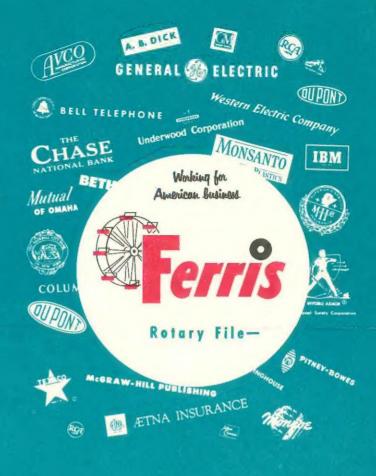
## NO MAINTENANCE REQUIRED

The Ferris service man is always available — however, no routine maintenance or service is required due to the rugged lifetime construction of all Ferris equipment. Hence freedom from expensive service contracts.

# LESS EMPLOYEE FATIGUE AND ERROR INCREASED EFFICIENCY

Eliminates lost cards and misfiling found in other systems. Permits the hiring or use of older employees. Takes the muscle and eye strain out of filing. Increases the office social status of file clerks and reduces labor turnover.

THE WORLD'S LARGEST
SELECTION OF MOTORIZED
FILING EQUIPMENT



# PARTIAL LIST OF USERS

COMPANY	RECORD	CARD SIZE
U. S. Steel Co.	Stores	tab.
General Elec. Co.	Purchase	5 x 8
South Bend Lathe	Parts	$8\frac{1}{2} \times 11$
Westinghouse Elec.	Material	tab.
American Tel. & Tel.	Employee	$2\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2}$
Pratt & Whitney	History	8 x 9½
Pitney-Bowes	Mailing	3 x 5
American Brass	Purchase	$8 \times 10$
Avco Mfg. Co.	Engineer	4 x 6
E. I. Du Pont	Sales	5 x 8
Goodyear Aircraft	Tooling	5 x 8
Franklin Life Ins.	Medical	3 x 5
Mutual of Omaha	History	4 x 6
N. Y. Central R. R.	Accts. Rec.	tab.
Anaconda Copper	Personnel	5 x 8
Pacific Tel. & Tel.	Central Info.	3 x 5
Johns Hopkins Hosp.	Ledger	7 x 6
International Silver	Index	5 x 8
Willys Overland	Engineer	5 x 8
Monsanto Chemical	Customer	5 x 8
I. B. M. Corp.	Tabulating	IBM
Brigham Young Univ.	Alumni	$3 \times 5$
The Texas Oil Co.	Equipment	5 x 8
Gulf Oil Co.	Credit	$3 \times 5$
The Chase Nat'l Bank	Confidential	5 x 8
New York Savings Bank	Signature	3 x 5



FAST REFERENCE AND POSTING

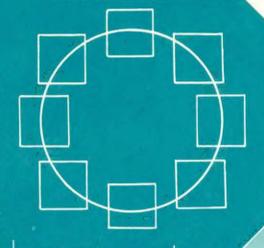
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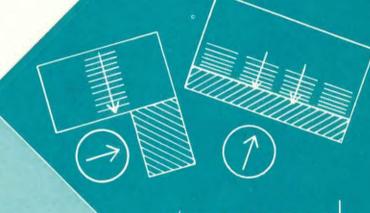
CHECK YOUR RECORD HANDLING PROBLEMS ELIMINATE WASTED TIME, MOTION, ERROR AND FATIGUE

The main reason Ferris masters filing jobs with unparalleled efficiency is the mechanical principle of operation. All moving parts are pivoted on oilless bearings and trays suspended in an upright position by means of a special guide ring.

Ferris Files can be arranged for many different office layouts - grouped in pairs, in "L" or "U" shaped arrangements, between desk, counter height or whatever plan best accommodates the particular situation. Regardless of the capacity, record size, number of operators, frequency of reference, division of the work load, expansion provisions — Ferris has a time and motion saving solution.

Ferris Files reduce the number of filing motions and simplify them utilizing the proper relationship between the operator, her work area and the card facing. Work is centralized and always within the comfort range - cards elevated to an equal visual distance.





SIMPLICIT



The Ferris Rotary File - Here is an office assistant streamlined to take over your burdensome filing problems. An assistant that will turn circles to save precious time and money. Deal with him hastily, push him around still he always obeys turning up with the desired reference material in seconds. Yes, an employee that will never be on the payroll, yet his speed and efficiency will save salaries.









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